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Fig.1

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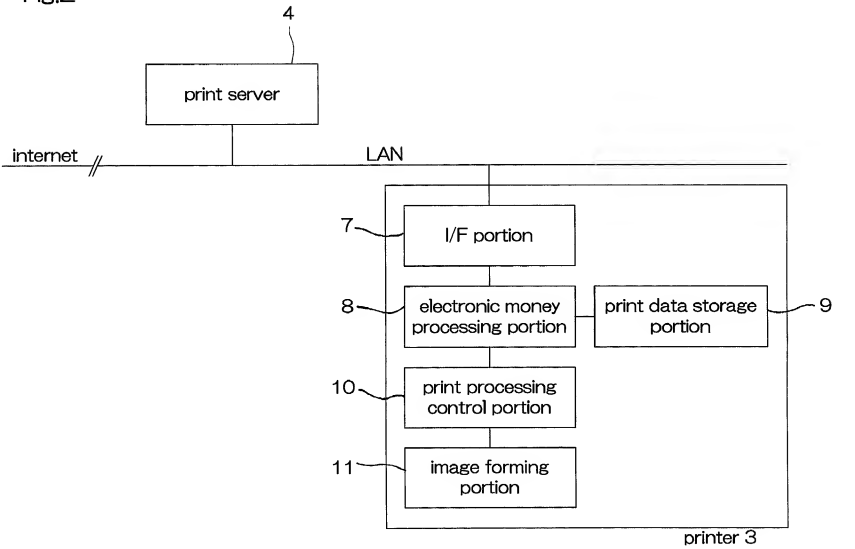
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print server
internet
LAN
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I/F portion
8
electronic money processing portion
print data storage portion
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print processing control portion
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image forming portion
printer 3

Fig.3

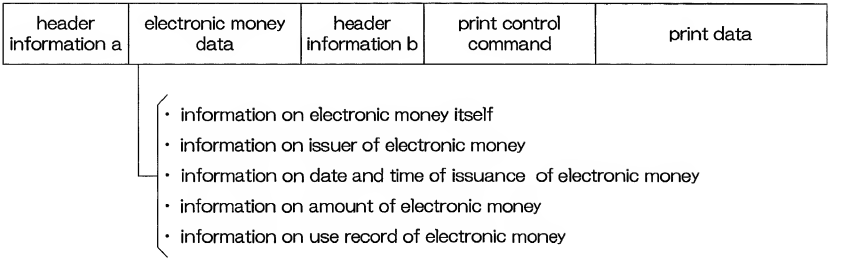
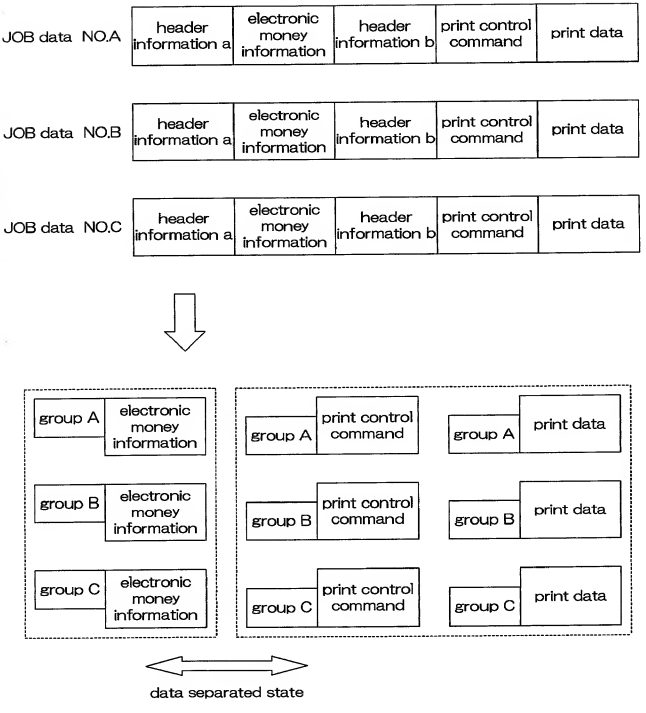

header information a
electronic money data
header information b
print control command
print data
・information on electronic money itself
・information on issuer of electronic money
・information on date and time of issuance of electronic money
・information on amount of electronic money
・information on use record of electronic money

Fig.4



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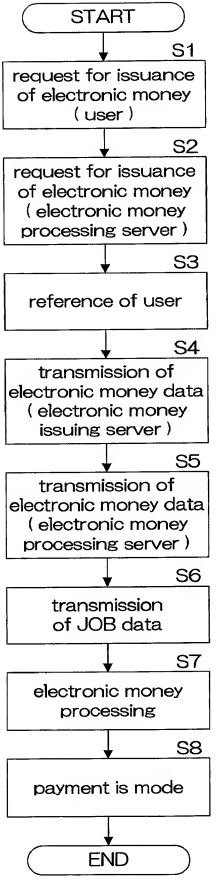

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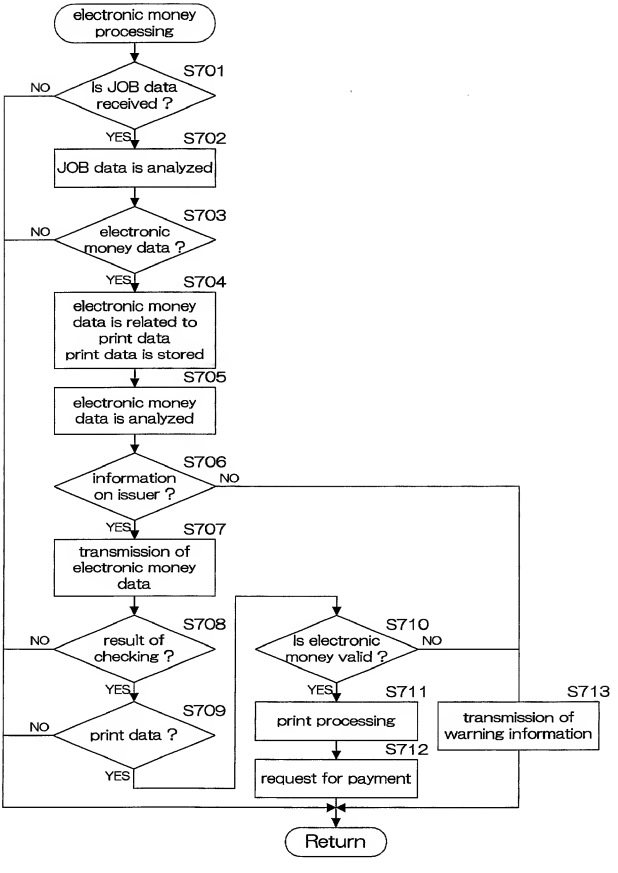

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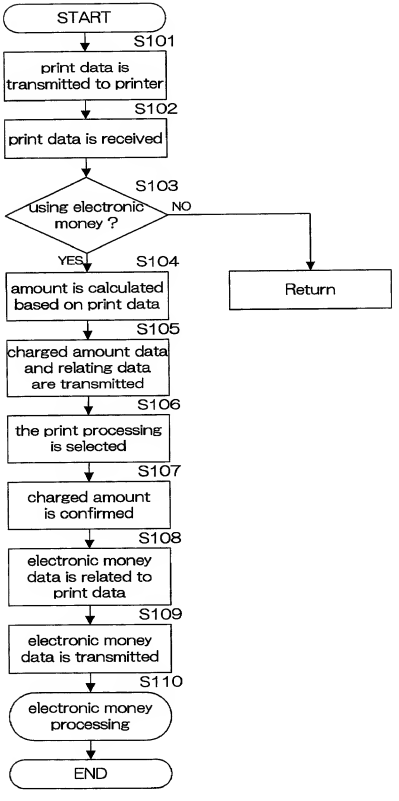
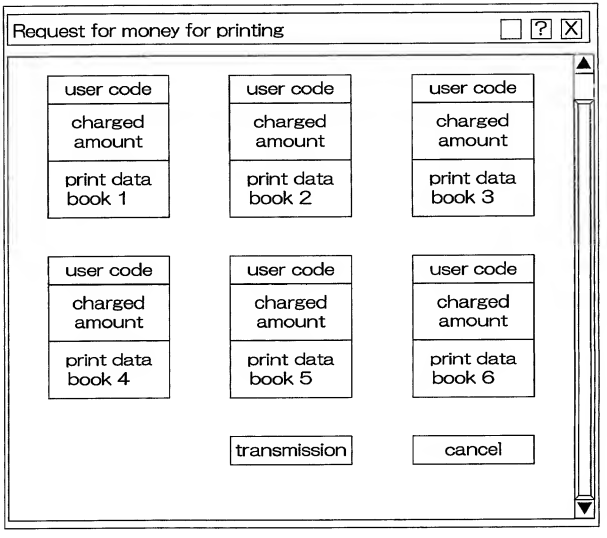

START
S101
print data is transmitted to printer
S102
print data is received
S103
using electronic money ?
NO
YES
S104
amount is calculated based on print data
Return
S105
charged amount data and relating data are transmitted
S106
the print processing is selected
S107
charged amount is confirmed
S108
electronic money data is related to print data
S109
electronic money data is transmitted
S110
electronic money processing
END

Fig.8



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